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## **Department of Revenue rolls out "My Tax Account"**

New online tool will make it easier to do business in Wisconsin

MADISON – The Wisconsin Department of Revenue (DOR) today announced the launch of *My Tax Account* for businesses, a web-based application that makes it easier for businesses to manage their state tax accounts. The tool is used to electronically file tax returns, make payments, update account information, and view history and correspondence with DOR, all in a secure online environment. Businesses may register for and begin using *My Tax Account* today.

"Government must look for ways to work more efficiently while continuing to provide the level of service taxpayers expect, especially as we face a troubled economy," said Revenue Secretary Roger M. Ervin. "My Tax Account is a great example of this—an innovative, self-service option that will make managing state taxes simpler and more convenient for businesses."

Businesses should register for the service on the Department's website at <a href="www.revenue.wi.gov">www.revenue.wi.gov</a>, using the Wisconsin User ID and password that many businesses already use for other state web applications. Those without a Wisconsin User ID can obtain one at anytime at <a href="https://on.wisconsin.gov">https://on.wisconsin.gov</a>. Once registered, businesses can also authorize their tax representatives to manage accounts online.

My Tax Account includes state sales and use tax, premier resort area tax, local exposition center tax, rental vehicle fees, and employer withholding tax. It replaces the Sales Tax Internet Process (SIP), which ends June 5, 2009, and the electronic funds transfer system for withholding tax, which ends December 31, 2009.

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